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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re the Application of:

Kazuhiro KAWASHIRI

Group Art Unit: 2615

Application No.: 09/588,229

Examiner: H. Long

Filed: June 6, 2000

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For: SOLID STATE IMAGE PICKUP DEVICE AND ITS CONTROL METHOD

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Sir:

Applicant petitions for an extension of time for one month for response to the outstanding Office Action dated December 5, 2003 from March 5, 2004 to April 5, 2004.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the amount of \$110.00 to cover the fee discussed above to Deposit Account No. 01-2300.

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